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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
HANS-ULRICH PETEREIT, ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION
SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. APPLICATION :
(BASED ON PCT/EP03/09800)
FILED: HEREWITH :
FOR: MULTILAYER DOSAGE FORMS, :
WHICH CONTAIN ACTIVE
SUBSTANCES AND WHICH
COMPRISE A NEUTRAL CORE,
AND AN INNER AND OUTER
COATING CONSISTING OF
METHACRYLATE COPOLYMERS
AND METHACRYLATE
MONOMERS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.